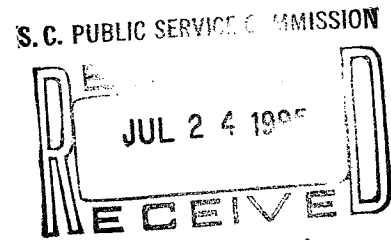


BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

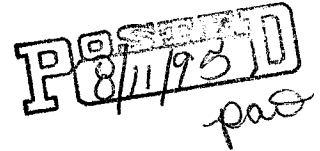
DOCKET NO. 94-728-S

In Re:)
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APPLICATION OF BUSH RIVER)
UTILITIES, INC. FOR APPROVAL)
OF NEW SCHEDULE OF RATES)
AND CHARGES FOR SEWERAGE)
SERVICE PROVIDED TO)
RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL AND)
WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS IN ALL)
AREAS SERVED)

APPLICATION FOR
RATE INCREASE



*Accepted by
Commission
Order no. 95-138
dated 8/2/95



Bush River Utilities, Inc. hereby applies to the South Carolina Public Service Commission for approval of an increase in its existing rates and charges pursuant to South Carolina Public Service Commission's Rules and Regulations and S.C. Code Ann. § 58-5-240 (Law. Co-op. Supp. 1994). In support of its application, Bush River Utilities, Inc. provides the following information:

1. Bush River Utilities, Inc. is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina and is a public utility within the meaning of S.C. Code Ann. § 58-5-10(3) (Law. Co-op. 1976). The legal name and principal office or place of business of the Applicant are Bush River Utilities, Inc., 816 East Main Street, Lexington, South Carolina 29072.

2. Correspondence or communications regarding this application should be addressed to:

Frank R. Ellerbe, III
Robinson, McFadden, & Moore, P.C.
Post Office Box 944
Columbia, South Carolina 29202
(803) 779-8900

3. The contact person regarding ongoing operations of the Applicant is:

Keith G. Parnell
Bush River Utilities, Inc.
Post Office Box 258
Lexington, South Carolina 29072
(803) 359-4803

4. This application is for the approval of new schedules of rates and charges for sewerage service provided to its residential, commercial, and wholesale customers in all areas served. Current service area maps are on file with the Commission.

5. As of December 31, 1994, the Applicant was providing sewerage service to thirty-eight (38) residential and commercial customers under schedules of rates and charges approved by the Commission in Order Number 87-1151, Docket Number 86-355-S, dated October 14, 1987 (a copy of the present schedules is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 1).

6. The Applicant was also providing sewerage service to one (1) wholesale customer, Development Service, Inc., on December 31, 1994.

7. Due to increased operating expenses and the need for capital improvements, the Applicant must increase its rates and charges, and respectfully submits, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-5-240 (Law. Co-op. Supp. 1994), the attached new schedules, designated as Exhibit 2 and incorporated herein by reference. The new schedules would have produced additional operating revenues of \$124,250.47 based on the twelve-month period ending December 31, 1994. Notice of its intention to file the new schedules was given

more than thirty (30) days ago. Applicant is informed and believes that such schedules are just, lawful and reasonable, and intends to put the new schedules into operation for service rendered on or after the expiration of the time prescribed in subsection (C) or subsection (D), whichever is applicable, of S.C. Code Ann. § 58-5-240 (Law. Co-op. Supp. 1994), unless otherwise ordered by this Commission beforehand.

8. The Applicant requests that the Commission waive its requirement that the Applicant file recent letters of approval or satisfactory reports from the Department of Health and Environmental Control ("DHEC") constituting the DHEC's most recent approval to operate simultaneously with this Application. The Applicant expects to file letters of approval from DHEC either prior to or at the time of the hearing scheduled by the Commission in regard to this Application.

9. Attached hereto and incorporated by reference are Exhibits "3-9" inclusive, based on the proposed twelve-month test year ending December 31, 1994, and Exhibits "10-12" as required by the Commission's Rules, Regulations, and Directives and listed below:

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| Exhibit 3 | Most current available income and expense statement for preceding twelve months. |
| Exhibit 4 | Pro forma income and expense statement using proposed rates applied to proposed test year. |
| Exhibit 5 | Balance sheet. |
| Exhibit 6 | Depreciation schedule by categories of plant or average service lives. |
| Exhibit 7 | Number of customers as of December 31, 1994, |


and expected in the following twelve months.

- Exhibit 8 Cost justification for proposed rates and charges.
- Exhibit 9 Statement of plant investment by categories.
- Exhibit 10 Recent letters of approval or satisfactory reports from the Department of Health and Environmental Control constituting DHEC's most recent approval to operate. See paragraph 8.
- Exhibit 11 Documentation to update performance bond.
- Exhibit 12 Customer bill form.

WHEREFORE, Bush River Utilities, Inc., requests that the South Carolina Public Service Commission approve the new rates and charges as proposed herein and set forth in the attached schedules.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBINSON, McFADDEN & MOORE, P.C.

By 
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(803) 779-8900

Attorneys for Bush River Utilities,
Inc.

Columbia, South Carolina

July 21, 1995.

EXHIBIT 1

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

APPROVED RATE SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE OF RESIDENTIAL RATES

TYPE OF RESIDENCE	MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGE
Single Family	\$10.00 per month
Apartments (Per Unit)	\$ 9.50 per month

SCHEDULE OF COMMERCIAL RATES

TYPE OF ESTABLISHMENT	MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGE FACTOR
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Monthly Minimum Charge	\$10.00
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Car Washes

Per Car	1.575
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Churches

	10.00
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Factories:

Each Employee (No Showers)	.4641
Each Employee (With Showers)	.6188
Each Employee (With Kitchen Facilities)	.7735

Food Service Operations:

Ordinary Restaurant (Not 24 hours) (Per Seat)	1.5561
24 Hour Restaurant (Per Seat)	2.3296
Curb Service (Drive-In) (Per Car Space)	1.5561
Fast-Food Restaurant (Per Car Space)	1.5561
Vending Machine Restaurant (Per Machine)	.9282

Institutions:

Per Resident	1.3195
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Laundries:

Self Service (Per Machine)	5.2871
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Mobile Homes:

Per Person	1.3195
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Motels:

Per Unit (No Restaurant)	1.3195
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Nursing Homes:

Per Bed (No Laundry)	1.3195
Per Bed (With Laundry)	1.5561

Offices:

Per Person (No Restaurant)	.3913
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Picnic Parks:

Average Attendance	.4641
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Rest Homes:

Per Bed (No Laundry)	1.3195
Per Bed (With Laundry)	1.5561

Schools:

Per Person (No Showers, Gym, Cafeteria)	.3094
Per Person (With Cafeteria, No Gym, Showers)	.3913
Per Person (With Cafeteria, Gym, Showers)	.4641

Service Stations:

Without Bay	10.92
First Bay (Per Bay)	15.54
Each Additional Bay (Per Bay)	7.7714

Shopping Centers:

Per 1,000 Square Ft. Space	3.1122
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Swimming Pools:

Per Person (With Sanitary Facilities and Showers)	.3094
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Theaters:

Drive-in - Stall	.1690
Indoor - Seat	.1690

SCHEDULE OF WHOLESALE RATE

A wholesaler is a person or entity which collects the sewerage of one or more customers through the use of wholesaler's own mains and which charges a fee approved by this Commission for such service. In turn, the combined collected sewerage is discharged into a Bush River Utilities main.

The monthly service charge to a wholesaler shall be computed by aggregating the monthly service charges which Bush River would charge each customer if the customer was directly on Bush River's system. Seventy-five (75%) percent of this aggregate figure will be charged to the wholesaler as a monthly service charge. No charges may be rendered directly to any customer or wholesaler.

The monthly service charge shall be computed and adjusted annually and when a change is approved to the rate schedule of Bush River.

SCHEDULE OF TAP FEES

The "Water Pollution Control Division Guidelines for Unit Contributory Loadings of Waste Water Treatment Facilities (1972)" are incorporated herein by reference. To determine tap fees the following formula is used if the customers' BOD factor is greater than the BOD factor for a residence:

$$\frac{\text{Total Volume (gpd)}}{400 \text{ (gpd)}} \times \frac{\text{Unit BOD of Customer/100 gal.}}{0.17 \text{ lbs.}} \times 300$$

If the customer's BOD factor is less than the BOD factor of an equal volume of residential waste, the following formula should be used:

$$\frac{\text{Total Volume (GPD)}}{400 \text{ (gpd)}} \times 300$$

EXHIBIT 2

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

NEW RATE SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE OF RESIDENTIAL RATES

TYPE OF RESIDENCE	MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGE
Single Family	18.00
Apartments (Per Unit)	17.10

SCHEDULE OF COMMERCIAL RATES

TYPE OF ESTABLISHMENT	MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGE
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<u>Monthly Minimum Charge</u>	18.00
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<u>Car Washes (per car)</u>	2.84
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<u>Churches</u>	18.00
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Factories:

Each Employee (No Showers)	0.84
Each Employee (With Showers)	1.11
Each Employee (With Kitchen Facilities)	1.39

Food Service Operations:

Ordinary Restaurant (Not 24 hours) (Per Seat)	2.80
24 Hour Restaurant (Per Seat)	4.19
Curb Service (Drive-In) (Per Car Space)	2.80
Fast-Food Restaurant (Drive-thru) (Per Car Space)	2.80
Vending Machine Restaurant	1.67

Institutions:

Per Resident	2.38
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Laundries:

Self Service (Per Machine)	9.52
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Mobile Homes:

Per Person	2.38
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Motels:

Per Unit (No Restaurant)	2.38
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Nursing Homes:

Per Bed (No Laundry)	2.38
Per Bed (With Laundry)	2.80

Offices:

Per Person (No Restaurant)	0.70
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Picnic Parks:

Average Attendance	0.84
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Rest Homes:

Per Bed (No Laundry)	2.38
Per Bed (With Laundry)	2.80

Schools:

Per Person (No Showers, Gym, Cafeteria)	0.56
Per Person (With Cafeteria, No Gym, Showers)	0.70
Per Person (With Cafeteria, Gym, Showers)	0.84

Service Stations:

Without Bay	19.66
First Bay (Per Bay)	27.98
Each Additional Bay (Per Bay)	13.99

Shopping Centers:

Per 1,000 Square Ft. Space	5.60
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Swimming Pools:

Per Person	0.56
(With Sanitary Facilities and Showers)	

Theaters:

Drive-in - Stall	0.30
Indoor - Seat	0.30

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EXHIBIT 3

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE COLLECTED AND EXPENSES PAID
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1994

Revenue

Sewer Service	\$	177,074.08	
Tap Fees		0	
Late Charges		<u>4,143.70</u>	<u>\$ 181,217.78</u>

Expenses

Officer Salaries	40,040.00	
Collection Salaries & Wages	30,423.65	
Utilities	38,193.71	
Chemicals	3,284.89	
Lab Expense	878.60	
Plant Maintenance	7,745.76	
Collection Expense	10.00	
Administrative Salaries	11,353.41	
Office Supplies	656.61	
Insurance	8,396.26	
Outside Services	3,160.96	
Legal & Professional Expense	2,700.00	
Auto & Truck Expense	2,143.75	
Travel & Entertainment	1,600.00	
Telephone Expense	790.76	
Depreciation	15,303.76	
Property Taxes	11,420.96	
Payroll Taxes	7,034.94	
Interest Expense	<u>276.76</u>	<u>\$ -185,414.78</u>

Net Income

\$ (4,197.00)

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.
Pro Forma Income and Expense Statement

EXHIBIT 4
Twelve Months Ending December 31, 1994

LINE NO.		PER BOOKS	ADJUSTMENTS	TEST YEAR ADJUSTED	EFFECT OF INCREASE	TY AFTER INCREASE
1	OPERATING REVENUES					
2	Sewer Service	177,074.08	0	177,074.08	125,274.08	302,348.16
3	Tap Fees	0	0	0	0	0
4	Late Charges	4,143.70	(1,023.61)	3,120.09	0	3,120.09
5	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	181,217.78	(1,023.61)	180,194.17	125,274.08	305,468.25
6	OPERATING EXPENSES					
7	Collection Salaries	30,423.65	41,608.90	72,032.55	0	72,032.55
8	Administrative Salaries	11,353.41	(1,157.51)	10,195.90	0	10,195.90
9	Officer Salaries	40,040.00	6,006.00	46,046.00	0	46,046.00
10	Plant Maintenance	7,745.76	254.24	8,000.00	0	8,000.00
11	Utilities	38,193.71	3,806.29	42,000.00	0	42,000.00
12	Chemicals	3,284.89	2,715.11	6,000.00	0	6,000.00
13	Office Supplies	666.61	83.39	750.00	0	750.00
14	Lab Expense	878.60	21.40	900.00	0	900.00
15	Vehicle Expenses	2,143.75	6.25	2,150.00	0	2,150.00
16	Outside Services	3,160.96	39.04	3,200.00	0	3,200.00
17	Interest	276.76	2,798.24	3,075.00	0	3,075.00
18	Travel & Entertainment	1,600.00	(100.00)	1,500.00	0	1,500.00
19	Legal and Professional	2,700.00	2,100.00	4,800.00	0	4,800.00
20	Insurance	8,396.26	103.74	8,500.00	0	8,500.00
21	Telephone Expense	790.76	9.24	800.00	0	800.00
22	Payroll Taxes	7,034.94	3,227.02	10,261.96	0	10,261.96
23	Depreciation	15,303.76	3,334.57	18,638.33	0	18,638.33
24	Sludge Removal	0	20,000.00	20,000.00	0	20,000.00
25	Principal on Highway Department Note	0	6,440.00	6,440.00	0	6,440.00
26	Regulatory Commission Expense	0	1,650.00	1,650.00	0	1,650.00
27	Property Taxes	11,420.96	3,529.04	14,950.00	0	14,950.00
28	State Income Tax	0	0	0	1,178.93	1,178.93
29	Federal Income Tax	0	0	0	3,536.78	3,536.78
30	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	185,414.78	96,474.96	281,889.74	4,715.71	286,605.45
31	OPERATING INCOME	(4,197.00)	(97,498.57)	(101,695.57)	120,558.37	18,862.80
32	OPERATING MARGIN-%	(2.32%)		(56.44%)		

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

PRO FORMA INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENT
TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1994

DETAIL OF ADJUSTMENTS

OPERATING REVENUES

Line 2 Sewer Service

Income is calculated based on achieving an 8% operating margin before taxes. Prior approved rates were used to develop an allocation of billings to each existing active customer served by Bush River Utilities, Inc. Based on this method, projected rates are increased by 80% over current rates.

Line 4 Late Charges

Late Charges are projected at 2.5% of Sewer Service revenue (excluding DSI billings) based on historical data.

OPERATING EXPENSES

Line 7 Collection Salaries

Adjustments to Collection Salaries include the following:

1. A 15% increase has been factored into current costs to offset inflation increases.
2. A portion of Collection Salaries is reclassified from Development Services, Inc. to more accurately reflect allocation of time.
3. One new position is added to operate the sludge removal operation.

Line 8 Administrative Salaries

Adjustments to Administrative Salaries include the following:

1. A 15% increase has been factored into current costs to offset inflation increases.
2. A portion of Administrative Salaries is reclassified to Midlands Utilities, Inc. to more accurately reflect allocation of time.

Line 9 Officer Salaries

A 15% increase has been factored into current costs to offset inflation increases.

Line 10 Plant Maintenance
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 11 Utilities
Increase is due to the additional cost of operating the sludge removal equipment.

Line 12 Chemicals
Increase is based on additional costs required to process sludge.

Line 13 Office Supplies
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 14 Lab Expense
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 15 Vehicle Expenses
Based on historical data. No material increases expected.

Line 16 Outside Services
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 17 Interest Expense
Increased to include interest on debt to Highway Department assuming a five year payment schedule financed at 8%.

Line 18 Travel & Entertainment
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 19 Legal & Professional
Increase represents additional cost associated with computerized accounting processing and increased legal fees.

Line 20 Insurance
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 21 Telephone Expense
Based on historical data. No material increases anticipated.

Line 22 Payroll Taxes
Increase reflects changes in salary expense discussed above.

Line 23 Depreciation
Based on depreciation schedule attached.

Line 24 Sludge Removal
Increase represents projected cost of removal of sludge residue based on estimates of yearly volume and removal costs provided by outside vendors.

Line 25 Principal on Highway Department Note
Included to fund principal payments on debt to Highway Department.

Line 26 Regulatory Commission Expense
Increase reflects legal and accounting costs associated with the application.

Line 27 Property Taxes
Increase to reflect yearly projected tax expense.

Line 28 State Income Taxes
Based on state tax rate of 5% of projected operating margin.

Line 29 Federal Income Taxes
Based on federal tax rate of 15% of projected operating margin.

EXHIBIT 5

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.
STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
DECEMBER 31, 1994

ASSETS**Utility Plant**

Utility Plant in Service	\$ 336,721.53	
Accum. Depreciation	(181,328.83)	
Acquisition Adjustment	<u>(102,789.48)</u>	<u>52,603.22</u>

Other Property & Investments

Non-Utility Plant	96,417.77	
Land	40,000.00	
Accum. Depreciation	<u>(90,342.14)</u>	<u>46,075.63</u>

Current & Accrued Assets

Cash	438.19	
Notes Receivable - DSI	86,910.56	
Notes Receivable - Midlands	6,149.90	
Loans to Stockholder	<u>32,004.30</u>	<u>125,502.95</u>

<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>		<u>\$ 224,181.80</u>
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LIABILITIES**Equity Capital**

Common Stock	7,000.00	
(Authorized 100,000 shares, \$1.00 par value, issued & outstanding 7,000 shares)		
Paid in Capital	25,771.00	
Beginning Retained Earnings	154,459.19	
Unappropriated Retained Earnings	<u>(4,197.00)</u>	<u>183,033.19</u>

Current & Accrued Liabilities

Note Payable	38,400.00	
FICA & Federal Withholding	2,332.16	
State Withholding	<u>416.45</u>	<u>41,148.61</u>

<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES</u>		<u>\$ 224,181.80</u>
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EXHIBIT 6

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.
FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

DESCRIPTION	DEPRECIATION			DATE ACQUIRED	COST	DEPRECIATION		
	METHOD	YEAR	RATE			ACCUMULATED 1/1	CURRENT EXPENSE	ACCUMULATED 12/31
SEWER PLANT:								
SEWER SYSTEM - NET	01	YR 17	0.0500	Jan-79	135,511.52	113,868.70	6,775.58	120,644.28
SEWER ADDITIONS	02	YR 12	0.0667	Jan-84	32,458.25	21,642.07	2,164.97	23,807.04
SEWER ADDITIONS	02	YR 11	0.0667	Dec-85	13,043.12	7,030.10	869.98	7,900.08
SEWER LINE	02	YR 10	0.0667	Aug-86	5,078.38	2,511.50	338.73	2,850.23
SEWER LINE - HWY DEPT	02	YR 10	0.0667	Apr-86	38,400.00	19,843.84	2,561.28	22,405.12
MAN HOLE	02	YR 09	0.0667	Dec-87	1,350.00	547.65	90.05	637.70
MAN HOLE	02	YR 08	0.0667	Apr-88	1,400.00	536.80	93.38	630.18
1 AIREATOR FLOAT	02	YR 07	0.0667	Jun-89	6,690.78	2,007.92	446.28	2,454.20
BELT COMPRESS AND HOUSING	02	YR 01	0.0667	Jan-95	50,000.00		3,335.00	3,335.00
SUBTOTAL - SEWER PLANT					283,932.05	167,988.58	16,675.25	184,663.83
GENERAL PLANT:								
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	03	YR 04	0.2500	Dec-79	832.00	832.00	0.00	832.00
COMPUTER	03	YR 04	0.2500	Jan-80	4,826.00	4,826.00	0.00	4,826.00
VEHICLE - PU	03	YR 04	0.2500	Jan-80	6,556.00	6,556.00	0.00	6,556.00
EQUIPMENT - TRACTOR	04	YR 03	0.3330	May-81	2,840.00	2,840.00	0.00	2,840.00
EQUIPMENT	04	YR 03	0.3330	Jul-81	12,416.00	12,416.00	0.00	12,416.00
METAL STORAGE SHED	05	YR 05	0.2000	Mar-81	14,159.00	14,159.00	0.00	14,159.00
SEPTIC TANK	05	YR 05	0.2000	Jun-81	270.00	270.00	0.00	270.00
FURNITURE	06	YR 03	0.3700	Jan-82	1,460.00	1,460.00	0.00	1,460.00
LAB EQUIPMENT	06	YR 03	0.3700	Jan-82	5,263.00	5,263.00	0.00	5,263.00
PICK-UP	06	YR 03	0.3700	Jan-82	1,100.00	1,100.00	0.00	1,100.00
SEWER CLEANER	07	YR 05	0.2100	Jun-85	14,000.00	14,000.00	0.00	14,000.00
OFFICE FURNITURE	07	YR 05	0.2100	Jan-86	945.00	945.00	0.00	945.00
FORD TURCK	06	YR 03	0.3700	Feb-86	9,605.11	9,605.11	0.00	9,605.11
DODGE TRUCK	08	YR 06	#####	Feb-90	17,795.00	11,115.00	1,575.00	12,690.00
FLOW METERS	09	YR 06	0.0892	Mar-90	2,619.63	1,801.26	233.67	2,034.93
FLOW METERS	09	YR 06	0.0892	Apr-90	400.00	275.04	35.68	310.72
FLOW METERS	09	YR 06	0.0892	Oct-90	1,331.03	915.22	118.73	1,033.95
SUBTOTAL - GENERAL PLANT					96,417.77	88,378.63	1,963.08	90,341.71
TOTAL					380,349.82	256,367.21	18,638.33	275,005.54
MONTHLY DEPRECIATION EXPENSE:							1,553.19	

DEPRECIATION METHOD:

- (01) 20 YR S/L
 (02) 15 YR S/L
 (03) 04 YR S/L
 (04) 03 YR S/L
 (05) 05 YR S/L
 (06) 03 YR ACRS
 (07) 05 YR ACRS
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 (09) 07 YR MACRS, HY

EXHIBIT 7

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

NUMBER OF PRESENT AND EXPECTED CUSTOMERS
IN THE FOLLOWING TWELVE MONTHS

CLASS OF CUSTOMER	12/31/94	12/31/95
Residential	0	0
Commercial	38	38
Wholesale	1	1

EXHIBIT 8

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

COST JUSTIFICATION
FOR PROPOSED RATES AND CHARGES

The company's last proposed rate increase was approved on October 14, 1987, and was based on the level of operating expenses experienced and projected for 1987. The proposed monthly rates were selected to allow the company the opportunity to earn a reasonable operating margin and a reasonable return on its rate base. The proposed new monthly rate schedules are necessary to assure confidence in the financial soundness of the company and to provide adequate and sufficient service to its customers.

EXHIBIT 9

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

STATEMENT OF PLANT INVESTMENT
BY CATEGORIES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1994

TOTAL COLLECTION PLANT \$238,301.00

TOTAL TREATMENT AND DISPOSAL PLANT \$152,771.19

GENERAL PLANT

Land & land rights	40,000.00
Structures & improvements	14,429.00
Office Furniture & equipment	8,063.00
Transportation Equipment	35,056.11
Laboratory Equipment	5,263.00
Power Operated Equipment	<u>29,256.00</u>

TOTAL GENERAL PLANT \$132,067.11

TOTAL SEWERAGE UTILITY PLANT \$523,139.30

EXHIBIT 10

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES, INC.

The Applicant requests that the Commission waive the requirement that recent letters of approval from the Department of Health and Environmental Control be filed simultaneously with the application. As noted in paragraph 8 of the application, Bush River Utility expects to file the approval letters prior to the Commission's hearing on the application.

BUSH RIVER UTILITIES

P.O. BOX 258
LEXINGTON, S.C. 29072
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INVOICE

DATE OF BILLING : 06/25/95

ACCOUNT # : BR-01

SEWER SERVICE FOR JUNE , 1994

A C C O U N T

NAME :
ATTN :
ADDRESS :

CITY : COLUMBIA
STATE : SC
ZIP : 29226 -

A C C O U N T A C T I V I T Y

PREVIOUS BALANCE.....	18.78
PAYMENT RECEIVED.....	18.78
DATE OF PAYMENT.....	06/09/95
PAST DUE.....	0.00
LATE CHARGE.....	0.00
SEWER SERVICE CHARGE.....	18.78

TOTAL DUE..... 18.78

A 1.5% LATE CHARGE WILL BE ADDED TO ANY UNPAID BALANCE NOT PAID
WITHIN 25 DAYS OF BILLING DATE